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# THE NEWS IN BRIEF

GENERAL SUMMARY OF IMPOR TANT NEWS OF THE WEEK GATHERED FROM ALL OVER.

Relief is being sent from every quarter of the globe to the earthquake sufferers.

Monsignor Dennis O'Connell, Rec. tor of the Catholic University at Washington, has been appointed auxiliary of San Francisco.

The Senate Wednesday ratified arbitration treaties with the Argentine Republic and Salvador.

With but one dissenting voice in the combined house, congress appropriated \$800,000 for Italian relief work.

Judge H. C. Miles of the Federal Court at Vicksburg, Miss., is waging war against night riders of that section.

John W. Gates of Texas, has joined the ranks of those who are asking for free trade in iron, coal and lumber.

At a mass meeting held at Greenville, Miss., resolutions were passed favoring the rigid enforcement of prohibition.

The pressman's strike at Memphis is still unchanged. The strikers and employers hope to reach an agreement soon.

C. H. Barney and J. H. Hines of Memphis, Tenn., have purchased business property in Chicago. The price paid was \$100,000.

The public schools of Clarksdale, Miss., have resumed work after a two week's suspension accasioned by several cases of diphtheria.

The Asiatic squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Harbor, has returned from a cruise through the southern islands of the Philippine group.

One engineer and one fireman were killed, and many injured in a head-on collision between a passenger and freight train near Fisher, Okla.

A contract has been let by the Memphis and Arkansas City Packet Company for a steel-hulled warfboat, to be delivered in Memphis by May 1.

There is no truth in the report that 1,000 Chinese soldiers mutinied in the vicinity of Mukden and were afterward engaged in battle with loval government troops.

A bill was introduced in the Senate to prohibit the manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Tennessee. The bill provides that the law be effective on and after July 1.

The hearing in the suit of the United States government against the alleged powder trust was resumed before Special Master Mahaffey at Wilmington, Dela.

With a view of ascertaining how the \$222,000,000 appropriated annually for the expenses of the postal | the timber and caol act in excess service is expended the House Committee on Postoffice Expenditures has started its probe.

Realizing the need of a more regular river line between Vicksburg and Arkansas City, merchants of Memphis have called a meeting, at which steps will be taken to attempt to secure this service.

The balleships Connecticut, Kansas, Minnesota and Vermont, the detachment of the Atlantic fleet which is to aid the Italian earthquake refugees, left Port Said for Naples. Upon the arrival Admiral Sperry will place the vessels at the disposal of the authorities.

An earthquake shock lasting 12 seconds was felt in the Canary Islands. It overturned furniture and set bells to ringing in the houses.

The killing of three negroes at Clarksdale, Miss., has enlivened police circles to a considerable extent. The murderers have not been captured.

The supreme court of Tennessee has reassembled after a two week's holiday. The attendence is small owing to the fact that no opinions of importance will be rendered soon.

For the purpose of allowing his two daughters, Clara L. and Jean L. Clemens, to receive the financial benefits of his works for the greatest possible length of time, Samuel L. Clemens has incorporated his pen name of Mark Twatn.

The bill to establish postal saving banks has been taken up by the Senate and read for amendment, Senator Carter, in charge of the measure, announced that he would not attempt to get a vote on the bill until next week.

Attorneys for Harry K. Thaw obtained a writ of habeas corpus from Supreme Court Judge Tompkins, ordering Superintendent Lamb of the Matteawan insane asylum to bring Thaw before Justice Tompkins at Niack next Saturday.

The five members of the committee appointed by Governor Hoch to investigate the Kansas penitentiary, returned to prepare a report of their findings on the charges preferred by Miss Kate Bernard and of the general condition of the prison.

E, J. Burk has been arrested at Fort Worth, Tex., for alleged participation in the robbery of the safe of the Miller Brothers' "101" Ranca Wild West Show. The leader of the robbery and \$13,000 in currency are still missing.

Four thousand dollars in cash and good securities were found in a trunk of Pete Bredine in a lodging house at Kewanee, Ill. Bredine, aged 66, died recently at a hospital. He was thought to be penniless. He came here alone from Monmouth, Ill., a year ago.

The famous Georgia rate case, in which Judge Speer granted an injunction against the Atlantic Coast Line, the Cincinnati and New Orleans, Texas and Pacific and other roads, preventing them from enforcing an increase in freight rates, was decided by the federal court of appeals in favor of the railroads and the injunction was dissolved.

were thrown into a semi-panic this afternoon by a shock which swayed the building and which was supposed to be due to an earthquake. The engineer of the building put an end to the sensation by declaring that the "shock" was made by the contraction of the material in the building, due to the intense cold.

The second batch of cases before the Supreme Court of the United States, involving charges of defrauding the government out of large tracts of public lands in Colorado, was decided in favor of the defendants. Quite a number of persons, including some men of prominence, were involved. The specifie charge was that of conspiracy to defraud the government by conspiring to enter timber lands under of acreage permitted by that law.

In the United States District Court at Muskogee, Okla., Judge R. E. Campbell held that all the alleged sales and leases signed by Zeke Moore, a Creek freedman, to 120 acres of land in the Glenn Pool oil district of Oklahoma-are invalid, except one lease covering a period of fifteen years, given to R. S. Litchfield, who is supposed to represent the Standard Oil Company. The land is worth half a million dollars, and by the dicision Moore will secure 10 per cent royalty on all oil taken from wells on the land under the Litchfield lease.

Counsel has not yet been employed for the defense of Wm. Sorby of Jackson, Tenn., the alleged assassin of Postoffice Inspector Charles Fitzgerald, who was captured by a posse of state and federal officers at Clinton.

Backed by Alabama's best legal talent and all the money needed, the enemies of prohibition have asked the United States Court to enjoin the operation of the new prohibition statute, on the ground that it was not properly passed.

Fred S. Caldwell, who is Oklahoma's prohibition enforcement attorney, seized and confiscated five barrels of beer and some champagne which a citizen' committee purchased as a side line to the banquet to the members of the legislature.

A proposition to print the inaugural addresses of President Lincoln, together with the emancipation, in the Congressional Record, was made to the Senate by Senator Gore of Oklahoma. He also proposed that 50,000 copies of the papers be printed.

A wolf drive, in which 200 Boone county, Mo., farmers participated did not bag any game, though the river bluffs and rough country in the western part of the county was included. The drive took place northeast of Rocheport, an area six miles square being covered.

The coal mines of Indiana are now being operated half time, an almost unprecedented condition for this time of the year. A number of them have closed indefinitely. Only those which supply coal for railroad engines and other industrial use on yearly contracts are running more than half time.

Plans have been outlined by the Navy Bureau of Construction for a great battle ship of 25,000 tons desinged to earry eight 14-inch guns. This fact become known through the making public of testimony given before the House Committee on Naval Affairs several weeks ago by Rear Admiral Capps, chief constructor.

The jury in the night rider trial at Union City, Tenn., has reported. The men found guilty of murder in the first degree are: Garrett Johnson, Ted Burton, Ray Ranson, Fred Pinion, Arthur Cloar and Sam Applewhite. Bud Morris and Bob Huffman, the other defendants, guilty of murder in the second degree, and fixed the punishment at 20 years imprisonment. The punishment of the six first named de-Tenants in a Chicago building fendants has been left with the court, and may be death or life imprisonment. A motion for a new trial has been filed but it is thought that it will be overruled.

> Dr. W. Dunbar, pastor of the Payne Memorial Methodist church at Atlanta, Ga., reported at the weekly meeting of the Methodist ministers of that city that so large a number of communicants were present at the communion services at his church on Sunday that the wine of the sacrament gave out before all could be served Under the Georgia prohibition law it is illegal even to buy wine for communion. This was pointed out when the bill was drawn, but the framers said: "We will leave that to the ingenuity of the deacons," and the "ingenuity of the deacons" failed at Payne Memorial Sunday.

The safe in the office of the Appeal to Reason, published at Girard Kansas, was blown open with nitroglycerine, and the document in the Taylor case taken. These had been collected at considerable expense by Charles S. Darrow, the Chicego attorney, and were to be used in the defense of the editor, Fred D. Warren, who is under indictment in the federal court at Fort Scott, Kas., for sending through the mails "scurrilous, defamatory and threatening language" in the cause of the Haywood trial. He offered a reward for the kidnapping of ex-Gov. Taylor of Kentucky.

## NIGHT RIDERS TO HANG

DATE FOR EXECUTION SET BY JUDGE JONES AS FEB. 19.

Six Sentenced to Hang and Two Given Twenty Years in the State Penitentiary.

Union City, Tenn .- Judge Joseph E. Jones Saturday pronounced sentence of death upon Garrett Johnson, Fred Pinion, Arthur Cloar, Sam Applewhite, Tid purton and Roy Ransom, the six night riders who were found guilty in the first degree of the murder of Capt. Quentin Rankin at Walnutlog, October 19, and set the date upon which these men will hang for February 19, just four months to the day after the dastardly murder.

Bob Huffman and Bud Morris, who were found guilty of murder in the second degree, Judge Jones sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of twenty years.

The eight defendants received their sentences with blanched faces. They arose at the order of the judge, and while he recited to them the judgment of the court, their faces worked convulsively from the spasms of mental pain and anguish through which they were passing.

#### TAFT GIVES OUT ULTIMATUM

Too Much Newspaper Talk May Exclude Man From Cabinet.

Washington,-The decision of President-elect Taft to refrain from making public the names of the persons he has selected to be members of his cabinet, with the exception of Senator Knox and Frank H. Hitchcock, has had the effect of greatly inciting gossip.

The only possibility of accurate information transpiring regarding the seven vacant cabinet positions lies in the proneness of the friends of some of the selected persons to discuss the matter. Yet Senator Knox, who has been aiding the president-elect in this work of cabinet building, on his return from Augusta Monday rather grimly hinted that any candidate who either personally or through his friends betrayed the confidence of the president-elect might find that, after all, he was not on the list when the final cabinet is announced, and that statement may have some effect in restraining cabinet talk by people who are really advised.

#### WOULD SHOOT PREACHER.

Sequel to Sensational Case at Webb City, Missouri.

Webb City, Mo .- As the result of an invitation extended over the telephone by Dr. G. T. Pool to Rev. J. F. Shepherd to meet him opposite the postoffice and come armed, so they might "shoot it out," a warrant was issued for Pool's arrest and he was arrested and fined \$50 and costs on a plea of guilty to carrying concealed weapons. Pool's action is a sequel to proceedings in police court in which Pool's wife charged Rev. Shepherd, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, with assault.

The first trial ended in a hung jury, and it has never been again called up. Mrs. Pool alleged that while she was on the street Shephera deliberately knocked her to the pavement three times. Shepherd claims she was following him, began raining blows at his face, and when he tried to push her away, she threw herself to the sidewalk.

#### RACE ACROSS ATLANTIC.

President Has Given Carte Blanche to Sperry for Battleships.

Philadelphia .- James B. Connolly, the noted writer of sea stories, is given as authority for the statement that the president has given carte blanche to turning from its world-girdling tour, to Rear Admiral Sperry's Pacific fleet, recut loose after leaving Gibraltar and race across the Atlantic, "ship against ship, and may the best boat win."

Mr. Connolly, it is said, has been in vited by the president to return with the fleet as chronicler of the race against time, and will be the guest of Capt. Potter aboard the battleship Vermont, The contest among Admiral Sperry's fighters is to be characterized with all the fire and "go" that is the peculiar quality of the Roosevelt temperament 11e wishes his term as president to end with a dramatic climax which shall excite the attention of the world.

### Enforce Blue Laws.

Pensacola, Fla.-Under the "blue laws," some of them half a century old, there were no cigars, cigarettes, nor tobacco sold; no cabs or transfer wagons in operation, and even the meat markets were closed in Pensacola Sunday by order of Sheriff Van Pelt. Deputies were out early in the morning, instructed to arrest conductors and motormen if cars run. The Louisville & Nash ville railroad was compelled to cease working several hundred men employed on the road's export whaves, loading

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Mix half ounce of Concentrated pine compound with two ounces of glycerine and a half pint of good whiskey; shake It well each time and use in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours.

These ingredients can be obtained from any good druggist who will prepare the mixture, or it can be mixed at home.

This is said to be the quickest cough and cold cure known to science, and at the same time it has a splendid tonic effect which benefits the whole system. The Concentrated pine is a special pine product refined for medical use and comes only in half ounce bottles, each

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Her Pa-Ha, that's good; you'll save me the trouble.

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Girl's Head Encrusted-Feared Loss of All Her Hair—Baby Had Milk-Crust — Missionary's Wife Made

Two Perfect Cures by Cuticura.

"For several years my husband was a missionary in the Southwest. Every one in that high and dry atmosphere has more or less trouble with dandruff and my daughter's scalp became so encrusted with it that I was alarmed for fear she would lose all her hair. After trying various remedies, in desperation I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. They left the scalp beautifully clean and free from dandruff, and I am happy to say that the Cuticura Remedies were a complete success. I have also used successfully the Cuticura Remedies for so-called 'milk-crust' on baby's head. Cuticura is a blessing. Mrs. J. A. Darling, 310 Fifth St., Carthage, Ohio, Jan. 20, 1908."

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"That's a fine looking maid you have now, dear."

"Yes, she's a darling, and she came to me highly recommended."

"Knows all about the latest styles of maiding, I suppose?' "Oh, so far as knowing the duties

of a maid goes, I don't suppose she knows a thing."

"But she came highly recommended,

"Yes, she broke the jaw of the last man who tried to kiss her."-Houston

The Disturbing Telephone.

"The te ephone has destroyed all the "It breaks in on everything. Nothing is sacred to it. You may be saying your prayers. The telephone. Or in the midst of your bath. The telephone. Or doing up your back hair, or, worst of all, a delightful man may be making love to you, when k-ling, k-ling, k-ling! The telephone breaks off the thread of his theme and he fails to resume it."

Warmth and Illumination Needed.

A philosophy without heart and a faith without intellect are abstractions from the true life and being of knowledge and faith. The man whom philosophy leaves cold, and the man whom real faith does not illumine, may be assured that the fault lies in themselves, not in knowledge and faith. The former is still an alien from philosophy, the latter an alien from faith -Hegel.

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"It's not a new food to me," remarked a Va. man, in speaking of Grape-Nuts.

'About twelve months ago my wife was in very bad health, could not keep anything on her stomach. The Doctor recommended milk half water but it was not sufficiently nourishing.

"A friend of mine told me one day to try Grape-Nuts and cream. The result was really marvelous. My wife soon regained her usual strength and to-day is as rosy and plump as when a girl of sixteen,

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